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It's not right, and I expect you know it.
If most roads were designed to be easily usable by only one make of car, and that manufacturer began to include gasoline with the cars, noone would consider letting him get away with it. For most people, windows is not optional. For instance, even though I have the skills to do without it, i'm forced to use it in my work by my company's choice of applications. It's not better, just unavoidable, and Microsoft has used that position to prevent competition. I can't imagine destroying them, but they should be prevented from cheating in the future. This means actually prevented, not allowed to sign a "consent decree", ignore it, and then be forgiven.

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perl -e 'print pack(nnnnnnnnnnnn,
19061,29556,8289,28271,29800,25970,8304,25970,27680,26721,25451,25970),
".\n" '
"There are some who call me.... Tim?"